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SUBSTRATE FOR PACKAGING PERISHABLE GOODS OR FOR

APPLICATION ONTO SAME AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING

THE QUALITY OF SAID GOODS

# PROPOSED AMENDMENT FOR INTERVIEW PURPOSES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Official Action dated July 3, 2002, please consider the following amendments made in connection with the above-captioned application.

## I. In The Specification

Please amend the specification by replacing the second paragraph on page 2 thereof with the following:

"This object is achieved by a substrate for packaging of or for attachment to products which are sensitive to aging and temperature, having a time-temperature integrator arranged in the region of the substrate, wherein the time-temperature integrator contains a matrix and at least one reversible, crystalline indicator embedded therein, which has photochromic properties on the basis of transfer

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